

# MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

The following document is provided by the  
**LAW AND LEGISLATIVE DIGITAL LIBRARY**  
at the Maine State Law and Legislative Reference Library  
<http://legislature.maine.gov/lawlib>



Reproduced from scanned originals with text recognition applied  
(searchable text may contain some errors and/or omissions)

NEW DRAFT.

---

---

# SEVENTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE

---

---

HOUSE.

No. 226

---

---

## STATE OF MAINE.

---

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE  
HUNDRED AND SEVEN.

---

AN ACT additional to chapter forty-nine of the Revised Statutes, relating to insurance and insurance companies.

---

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows:*

Section 1. Every policy of insurance issued to a resident  
2 of Maine by any insurance company, except a domestic  
3 life or stock insurance company, which contains a reference  
4 to the application of the insured, either as a part of the  
5 policy or as having any bearing thereon, must have attached  
6 thereto a correct copy of the application, and unless so  
7 attached the same shall not be considered a part of the

8 policy or received in evidence. Each application for such  
9 policy shall have printed upon it or upon a slip attached  
10 thereto in large bold-faced type the following words:  
11 “Under the laws of Maine, each applicant for a policy of  
12 insurance to be issued hereunder is entitled to be furnished  
13 with a copy of this application attached to any policy issued  
14 thereon.”

Sect. 2. Any person who knowingly or wilfully makes a  
2 false or fraudulent statement or representation in or relative  
3 to any application for accident, health or casualty insurance,  
4 or who makes any such statement for the purpose of obtain-  
5 ing a fee, commission, money or benefit in a corporation  
6 transacting such business in this state, shall be punished  
7 by a fine of not less than one hundred nor more than five  
8 hundred dollars or by imprisonment for not less than thirty  
9 days nor more than one year, or by both such fine and impris-  
10 onment; and a person who wilfully makes a false statement  
11 if any material fact or thing in a sworn statement as to the  
12 death or disability of a policy or certificate holder in any  
13 such corporation, for the purpose of procuring payment of  
14 a benefit named in the certificate of such holder, shall be  
15 guilty of perjury.



STATE OF MAINE.

---

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Augusta, February 20, 1907.

Reported by Mr. PERRY from Committee on Mercantile Affairs  
and Insurance, and ordered printed under joint rules

E. M. THOMPSON, *Clerk.*